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NORTHFIELD HOMESTEADS

THE OLD ACADEMY BUILDING

ONCE KNOWN AS HUNT'S TAVERN

One by one the citizens gather at the village post-office, in Squire Vose's home; there is a hint of coming activities at Hunt's Tavern across the way; a few idlers hasten their steps toward the long, strident notes of a coach horn echo from the eastern hills. An air of expectancy pervades the sleepy village; the children run to the roadside while their elders, ceasing their labors for a little, peer through half opened doors and uncurtained windows—the Boston Stage is rolling in.

The bustle increases in the kitchen at Hunt's Tavern as the Stage halts for a moment or two at Vose's to deliver the mail; some dozen letters and three or four Boston newspapers; news from the outside world for the villagers to gossip over. Although the papers are eagerly read, it is in the tap room at the Tavern that the latest tidings are spread by the travelers, while the mugs of flip are being served by the genial host, before the welcoming blaze in the ponderous fire place.

Hunt's Tavern, known and praised by many a traveler in the years around 1800, was built by Capt. Elisha Hunt about 1798 on the site of a former tavern owned by Capt. Samuel Hunt, Capt. Elisha's father, and noted as a hostelry as early as 1765.

Capt. Elisha Hunt was the largest land owner, of his day, in Northfield; was nine years a representative and served nine terms as selectman. His brother Jonathan was Lieutenant Governor of Vermont.

Originally the tavern was a two story building but Hunt added a third story to make the structure more imposing than the residence of Lawyer Barrett, whose home stood in the center of the premises now known as Spring Gardens and known to many as the Pentecost residence.

Lawyer Barrett had previously added a story to his residence in order to have the honor of possessing a finer house than that of Capt. Hunt. From the time Capt. Hunt erected his building until 1928 it was a tavern and one of the most noted inns on the Stage route from Shrewsbury, Mass., to Bennington, Vt. Until the opening of the "Turnpike" it was the starting point for the stages and although Houghton's Tavern, where the Proctor Block now stands, soon enjoyed this advantage, the popularity of Hunt's did not decrease with the traveling public.

The tale of the old inn is one with the stories of most hostelries of one hundred and fifty years ago; reminiscent of large open fires, candle light glistening on the brown and green bottles ranged neatly behind the tap room bar; feather beds and warming pans, and fried mush with sausages for breakfast, following a steaming glass of toddy.

Speaking of todies the following bill which has recently come to light, made out by Capt. Elisha Hunt, may give some idea of the requisites for a dinner given on the ordination of a minister. It may be appropriate to remark that the items listed as sundries are at present supposed to be prohibited for ministers as well as others:

Counsel			
172 Meals	att 1 shillings	8:12:0	
50 Lodgings		16:8	
58 Sundries	att 9 d	2: 3:6	
Sundries		2:10:0	

We the subscribers having examined the Account of Capt. Elisha Hunt exhibited to us for the Entertainment of the Council at the Ordination of the Rev. Mr. Allen do agree to the sum of sixteen pounds, two shillings & two

Simeon Lyman	Committee
Medad Pomeroy	for
Shammah Pomeroy	providing
George Field	for
Oliver Watriss	the Ordination
Rufus Stratton	of
	Mr. Allen

The stages left the tavern for Worcester and Boston by either the north or south road to Warwick. The north road to Warwick, now School Street, led along Warwick brook and was served by Pomeroy's Tavern in Warwick, while the south road, now Maple Street, climbed the eastern hills through the "Gulf" and Mayo's Tavern in Warwick provided "entertainment for man and beast" for those following this route. Around 1800 the stage route through Northfield left the Post road, that led from Boston to Worcester, Hartford and New York, at Shrewsbury and was given on the old almanacs under the heading, "Road to Petersham and Bennington." Below is given the route with the list of Inn keepers that were the hosts to travelers, and the mileage between the taverns. The mileage given for Shrewsbury is the distance from Boston to Haven's Tavern.

Road to Petersham and Bennington

Shrewsbury,	Haven	3
Worcester,	Bigelow	5
Holden,	Parker	3
ditto,	Abbot	3
ditto,	Davis	1
Rutland,	Read	4
ditto,	Henry	1
Oakham,	Kelly	5
Barre,	Ruggles	4
ditto,	Smith	2
Petersham,	Peckham	5
ditto,	Dickerson	2
ditto,	Ward	1
Orange,	Cady	6
Warwick,	Chapin	1
ditto,	Pomeroy	7
Northfield,	Mayo	5
	Houghton,	
	Hunt,	
	Doolittle, N. R.	8
Hinsdale,	Howe	8
Brattleborough,	Dickerson	6
Marlborough,	Stockwell	4
Wilmington,	Whitney	8
ditto,	Cook	4
Readsborough,	Thompson	2
ditto,	Hartwell	6
Woodford,	Scott	5
Bennington,	Dewey, Fay	
	Griswold & Hathway	7

In 1829 the property was purchased by the Northfield Academy Corporation and the interior of the building was remodeled for use as a school. It was then known as "The Northfield Academy of Useful Knowledge." It was at this time that the piazzas, which are now nearly all removed, were added to the first and second stories on the north, west, and south sides of the building. The first Principal was Owen S. Keith, with Charles Osgood as his assistant. This Academy ranked high among the classical institutions and many of the students afterward attained distinction in their chosen careers.

In 1835 Mr. Phineas Allen, a Harvard graduate, bought the property and conducted a private school until 1843 when he removed to

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Republican Rally By Women At Chateau Was A Big Success

An enthusiastic political meeting was that held last Friday afternoon by the Greenfield District Women's Republican Club at the Chateau of the Northfield Hotel. It was a day of heavy rain but nearly two hundred members and friends gathered to hear the speakers and to meet the various candidates for office who attended. Miss Margaret Barnard the President presided and Mrs. Wolfert Webber, secretary of the newly formed Franklin County G. O. P. council and an officer in the district club, greeted the members and guests. Ambert G. Moody also welcomed the gathering in behalf of the Chateau management.

The guest speaker was Second Assistant Postmaster General W. Irving Glover who stated in his address that there has not been anything that the Republican party hasn't tried to do to relieve the present economic situation.

Rushing here from the National Postmasters' association convention at Springfield, Glover hastened to assure the gathering that President Hoover had been standing on the firing line, that he had been making an honest effort to aid everyone and for this he should be reelected. Glover said no one could have stayed the depression and no one was better equipped to handle the situation than the man now in office, Mr. Hoover.

Mrs. Frederick H. Payne, wife of the assistant secretary of war, Col. Payne, who was present was introduced by Miss Barnard and cordially greeted.

Senator A. C. Bray of Buckland and Mr. Homer Sherman of Charlemont both aspirants for senatorial honors were introduced. Mrs. Margaret S. Tucker, Brattleboro, Vt., national committee-woman spoke on the national campaign. She urged a heavy vote at the November election. Referring to the Maine results, Mrs. Tucker said: Five times Maine has been wrong, this is the sixth time." She challenged the statement of the Democrats that they already won all states west of Mississippi. "Why have they sent Mr. Roosevelt on an 8,000 mile tour through the West if they already have these states?"

The speaker, in concluding, called attention to the recent article of Alfred E. Smith's appearing in the Saturday Evening Post, endorsing a stand against payment of soldiers' bonus, a stand similar to that taken by President Hoover. Mrs. Persis Burke, secretary of the club, read a message from Cong. Allen T. Treadway, stating that it was his birthday and he promised to give the day to his wife. Upon motion of Miss Isabel B. Hatch, the club telegraphed birthday congratulations to the congressman.

Mrs. F. E. Judd Southampton, prominent Republican worker in Hampshire and Hampden county was the final speaker of the day. She told of her work through the county towns, raising funds for the party work. Mrs. Judd was dramatic and sincere in her appeal for support for President Hoover and a complete Republican slate.

The hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Theodore Darby, Mrs. William Hoehn, Mrs. Charles E. Leach, Mrs. Edward M. Morgan, Mrs. C. H. Webster, Mrs. Bessie Symonds, Mrs. Charles A. Parker, Mrs. George Pefferle, Mrs. Carroll Miller, Mrs. William Barr, Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. W. Stanley Carne, Miss Marion Holton, Mrs. Rose Spencer, all of Northfield. In the receiving line were Rev. Margaret Barnard, Mrs. Arthur D. Potter, Mrs. Margaret Tucker, Miss Katherine Parker and Mrs. P. E. Judd. From Northfield were Mrs. N. P. Wood and Mrs. Leonard Smith.

Ushers in the drawing room were Mrs. H. A. Lewis, Mrs. H. H. Morse, Mrs. A. N. Wight, Mrs. Clarence Stacey and Mrs. Fred Bolton, all Northfield members of the club.

The committee on arrangements for the meeting included Mrs. Wolfert Webber, Mrs. Ambert G. Moody and Mrs. Frank Montague. Refreshments of cakes and tea were served in the rooms of the Chateau and the arrangements made by the Northfield Hotel management in caring for the guests and providing facilities in the handling of automobiles were highly commended. The Northfield gathering was in competent hands and was a flattering success in every way.

Parent-Teachers Assn. To Open Season's Sessions

The Parent-Teacher Association will begin its year's work with a public meeting on the evening of Monday, October 3, at Alexander Hall. The executive committee takes the greatest pleasure in announcing that the speaker will be Mr. Elliott Speer, who will tell about his recent adventures in Edinburgh. The Association has many plans and hopes for the year, all for the benefit of our school children; and the committee is eager for the support of everybody in the community who is interested in children. Whether you are a parent or not, you can be of great use in this organization. You are cordially invited to hear Mr. Speer on October third, and you will be doubly welcome if you will come equipped with 50 cents and a desire to join the P. T. A.

Northfield's Primary Brings Out Good Vote; Parties Name Choice Here

The State Primaries as held in Northfield on Tuesday, September 20th brought out a total vote of 272 and both members of the Republican and Democratic parties expressed their choice of candidates to be voted for at the November election. The primary election was held in Town Hall between the hours of 12 noon and 8 o'clock in the evening. The results were announced after the close of the polls and their tabulation by the Town Clerk, Mrs. Harry M. Haskell.

REPUBLICAN

For Governor

Walter E. Brownell 16
Frank A. Goodwin 64
E. Mark Sullivan 2
Wm. S. Youngman 172
Blanks 9

For Lieutenant Governor

Gasper G. Bacon 124
Chester L. Campbell 127
Blanks 12

For Secretary

Frederic W. Cook 248
Blanks 15

For Treasurer

Francis Prescott 153
Max Ulin 92
Blanks 18

For Auditor

Emerson J. Coldwell 109
Alonso B. Cook 141
Blanks 12

For Attorney General

Joseph E. Warner 242
Blanks 21

For Congressman—1st District

Allen T. Treadway 237
Blanks 26

For Councillor—8th District

J. Arthur Baker 67
Nicholas G. V. Nestor 6
Whitfield Reid 99
Raymond B. Shattuck 49
Thomas P. Shea 3
Blanks 39

For Senator Fkln.-Hamp. Dist.

Albert C. Bray 135
Homer Sherman 103
Blanks 25

For Representative in

General Court—1st Fkln. Dist.
Claude Church 34
Fred B. Dole 113
Harry A. Wells 105
Blanks 11

For County Commissioners—

Franklin
William B. Avery 78
Allen C. Burnham 61
Charles H. Holmes 158
Walter H. Ray, Jr. 99
Henry D. Wright 63
Blanks 65

For Sheriff—Franklin

Fred W. Doane 243
Blanks 20

The Republicans named as their choice for member of the state committee Mrs. Mary Pratt Potter who was unopposed for the Franklin-Hampshire District.

For delegates to the State Convention representing Northfield, Theodore P. Darby and William F. Hoehn were chosen.

The Republican Town Committee were selected as follows: Charles A. Parker, Theodore P. Darby, Charles E. Leach, William F. Hoehn, George W. Carr, Gertrude T. Webber, Lizette L. Vorce, Dorothy L. Miller.

DEMOCRATIC

For Governor

Joseph B. Ely 9
J. Edward Callahan 0
For Lieutenant-Governor

Edward P. Barry 4
David J. Brickley 1
Raymond A. Fitzgerald 0
William L. Hennessey 0
Francis E. Kelly 0
John F. Malley 0
Michael C. O'Neill 2
John E. Swift 1
W. S. Youngman 1

For Secretary

John F. Buckley 3
J. Edward Callahan 0
John W. Cussen 0
Arthur G. Flynn 0
George F. Gilbody 0
George F. Grogan 0
Edward J. Gurry 0
John D. O'Brien 1
Joseph Santuosso 1
Ray H. Shattuck 0
Charles R. Sullivan 1
Henry J. Sullivan 0
Blanks 3

For Treasurer

Charles F. Hurley 7
Blanks 2

For Auditor

John E. Buckley 3
John J. Harrington 0
Francis X. Hurley 5
Alfred J. Moore 0
Leo A. Spillane 1

For Attorney General

John P. Buckley 5
Harry E. Casey 0
Daniel J. Dempsey, Jr. 1
William R. Scharton 0
Harold W. Sullivan 1
Raymond E. Sullivan 1
Blanks 1

For Congressman—1st District

Thomas F. Cassidy 5
George E. Haggerty 0
William A. O'Hearn 2
Samuel A. York 0
Blanks 2

For Councillor—Eighth District

John S. Begley 4
William J. Carney 1
Joseph T. Gibson 0
Justus G. Hanson 0
Joseph E. Lynch 1
James P. Mahoney 1
Blanks 2

For Senator—Fkln.-Hamp. Dist.

Walter D. Bigelow 1
James B. Kennedy 8

For Representative in

General Court—1st Fkln. Dist.
John T. Callaghan 1
Blanks 8

For County Commissioners—

Franklin
Walter H. Ray 1
William B. Avery 1
Blanks 16

For Sheriff—Franklin

Fred Doane 2
Blanks 8

The Democrats named James B. Kennedy as their choice on the state committee from the Franklin-Hampshire District.

No selection of delegates to the state convention was made.

The following were named as the Democratic Town Committee: Catherine Callahan, Annie Campbell, Lawrence Quinlan, William H. Dalton, William E. Dale, Robert Ware, Henry W. Russell, Harry L. Gingsra, William Piggott.

North Church Completes Its Repairs And Improvements

The Congregational Church is worshipping in its own church edifice now for the past two Sundays and since the closing of the summer conferences. The platform of the church has been enlarged and re-arranged and the organ besides being looked over is now pumped by motor. The church owes a debt of gratitude to the efficient committees who gave their time and service in securing the improvements. Acknowledgment is made to the following: Fred Holton, Clifford Field, Donald Finch, Waldo Stebbins, Dan Sutherland, Joseph Ross, Owen Stacey, Harrison Stacey, Walter Hyde, George Carr, Walter Waite, Arthur Howe, Fred Pallam, John Marcy, Rev. W. Stanley Carne, Douglas Polhemus, Taylor Polhemus, Merwin D. Birdsall, Clarence Griggs, Bert Newton, Andrew Gray, Lawrence Laselle, Ernest Billings, Paul Chamberlain, Robert Sherwood, Fred Bolton, Frank W. Kellogg, Mark Wright, A. M. Wright, Lewis Webber, J. C. Newton, Ralph Carmean, Sidney Given, Merritt Skilton, S. J. Edson, Alfred Holton, Stanley Payson, Charles Johnson, C. E. Williams, Mrs. Frank Montague, Mrs. Joseph E. Colton, Mrs. Clarence Bufum, Mr. L. A. Polhemus, Dr. Allen M. Wright, Miss Daisy Holton, Miss Ethelyn Sheldon, Mrs. Lawrence H. Laselle, Mrs. Ernest T. Billings, Mrs. Frank Evans, Mrs. A. M. Wright.

Center School Playground Is Much Improved Used By Students

The filling and grading of the Center School playground has been completed for this year. Most of the work was done by Charles Parker and his men, who put in 72 big truck loads of gravel for filling on the baseball diamond and basket ball court, and surfaced the courts with loam.

The committee wishes to thank Miss Annie Joyce for contributing the gravel, and Mr. Parker for doing such splendid work at a reduced cost, and all others who by their helpfulness and community spirit have made the Parent-Teacher project an actual fact. The students of the school are using the playground every day.

Much of the equipment has been made under the direction of Henry Johnson by the class of boys who constitute the handicraft club of the 4-H group.

The committee of the Parent-Teacher association which has the undertaking in hand consists of Harry L. James, Mrs. Charles J. Kehl, Mrs. Carroll Miller, Harold Bigelow and Henry Johnson.

Real Estate Transfers

Deeds
Gill—Hale Lyman et al — Com of Mass — land taken for highway (2).
Warwick — Ward Wales N — Everett D Ward, release.

Announces Grange Fair Committees Named Grange Hall Used

The Northfield Grange is making plans for the Annual Community Fair. The Fair this year will be held at the Grange Hall, using the lower and upper rooms as well as the basement. Tuesday and Wednesday, October 4th and 5th will be the dates. The building will be open at 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and until 10:30 in the evening. Wednesday afternoon and evening at the same times.

Exhibits are solicited from everyone and the different departments will be in charge of the following committees:

Hall, Carroll H. Miller, Edward Morse, George Piper.
Vegetables, A. M. Wright, Rev. William White, Willis Parker.
Fruit, Joseph Colton, John Black, A. H. Mattoon.
Flowers, Charles Slate, Mrs. A. H. Farnum, Mr. A. H. Farnum.
Canned Goods, Mrs. Virginia Cossett, Mrs. Leola Morse.
Food Sale, Mrs. A. H. Mattoon, Mrs. Minnie Kidder.
Food Exhibit, Mrs. C. I. Holton, Mrs. Jennie Moore, Mrs. Carrie Britton.
Fancy Work, Mrs. H. H. Chamberlain, Mrs. Charlotte Wright, Mrs. Joseph Colton, Mrs. George Piper.
Boys and Girls 4-H Club Exhibits, Clifford Holton, Charles Repeta, Mary Dalton, Minnie Repeta.
Lunch, Mrs. A. M. Wright, Mark Wright, Elizabeth Miller.
Grabs, Irma Mroczek, Evelyn Haven, Hazel Black.
Candy, Evelyn Parker, Rena Tyler, Ellen Brigham.
Ice Cream, Gertrude Gibson, Martha Stebbins, Alice Black.

The Grange hopes every one will co-operate to make this a most successful fair. The Fair this year will be devoted entirely to the products of the farm and home. There will be no industrial exhibits. If you wish information get in touch with the committee in charge. A premium list will be published next week.

Tuesday, September 27th will be "Clean Up Day" at the Grange Hall. Members will meet at 10 A. M. and a dinner will be served at noon. The building will be cleaned and made ready for the Community Fair.

Winchester Gets Funds To Extend Northfield Rd.

The town of Winchester at a special meeting held recently voted unanimously to accept a loan of \$5332.25 for extending the Manning road. The money is the town's share of the \$2,000,000 federal appropriation for highways, and was accepted here with the understanding that the next legislation will take the loan so that the town will pay nothing for the road work.

An unusual provision is made that work on the road shall be entirely by local help, although construction will be in charge of the state engineers, and that the selectmen and overseer of the poor is given the power to hire the labor instead of the road commissioner.

This means that the road toward Northfield over the mountain will be extended and improved for another mile or so thus bringing the approach by way of Winchester Road nearer to a realization. Eventually the more difficult construction through Lovers Retreat will have to be undertaken.

"Old Academy" Building Has Been Sold

The historic "old academy" building on Main Street adjoining Centre School has been sold. The sale was made last week by the Field Estate, through Mr. B. C. Abbott and the purchaser is the Rev. George Bronson of Rye, N. Y. Mr. Bronson will make some needed repairs to the premises and for the time being the tenants will not be disturbed. Later on Mr. Bronson will remodel the property and use it for residence purposes thus again adding to the beautifying of our village and its streets.

The Tax Bills Have Been Mailed

Tax bills for 1932 have been sent out by Tax Collector, Leon R. Alexander. At the new and higher rate of \$32.50 the bills are of course considerably larger and recipients are "sitting up and taking notice."

However there is no use in complaining to the collector as his duty in the matter is only to collect. Lower tax bills can only be secured by a real reduction in the appropriations passed at the annual town meeting.

W. C. T. U.

The Womens Christian Temperance Union met last Monday in Alexander Hall and elected the following officers for the year beginning October first: President, Mrs. William A. White; 1st Vice President, Mrs. Leon R. Alexander; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. N. Fay Smith; Secretary, Miss Florence Warriner; Treasurer, Mrs. C. P. Buffum. Mrs. White named delegate from Northfield to the state convention and Mrs. Alexander was chosen alternate. The next meeting of the society will be held on Oct. 26.

Laymen's League End National Conference Commend Establishment Free Church Of America

The Unitarian Laymen's League Council which met in a three day session last week-end at Peterham and presided over by Hon. Herbert C. Parsons, our Northfield neighbor and friend, has concluded its sessions. The movement toward the establishment of the Free Church of America, composed of "Christian Liberals," was given serious consideration and commendation.

Sunday's final session opened with the presentation of resolutions before the resolutions committee, headed by Cong. Morton D. Hull of Chicago. Following that meeting services were conducted in the First Congregational Church, at which the sermon was delivered by Rev. Dr. Albert C. Dieffenbach, editor of "Christian Register," who had as his subject, "Let Us Be Liberals."

Outlining what he declared to be a liberal as the man who is ready to take the next reasonable progressive step, Dr. Dieffenbach stated that the existing need today is a change of economic order to relieve man from "economic bondage" and to give him security of livelihood. He exhorted his congregation to be liberals; to think about that problem and to assist in effecting whatever change is sound to avert "social revolution and incalculable loss."

The text of the resolution of the Free Church of America is: Be it resolved by the 1932 Eastern convention of the Unitarian Laymen's League, that we commend the first steps taken by the joint commission of Unitarian and Universalist fellowships toward the formation of the Free Church of America and that we approve the adoption by each fellowship of such measures as admission to joint fellowship of Unitarian and Universalist ministers; increasing co-operation between and joint operation of theological schools; a united liberal press; merger of churches where local sentiment approves, a joint ministry at large over the radio, a united movement for liberal evangelism and such other measures as will tend to bring the two fellowships and any other fellowships of Christian liberals, desiring to join us, eventually together into one body of religious liberals."

Dist. Y.W.C.A. Board Meets In Dalton

On Wednesday, September 21, the Board of the District Y. W. C. A. of Western Massachusetts met at the Irving House in Dalton, from 11 a.m. to 3.30 p.m. for the regular fall meeting. There were sixteen Board members present, and four guests.

Miss Winnifred Parkhurst of Northampton, the executive secretary gave a most interesting report of the summer's activities, chief of which was the Ashfield Street Fair held on August tenth, by the co-operative efforts of seventeen towns. In spite of the downpour of rain in the late afternoon, the whole affair was such a success financially that the net profit was three hundred dollars; and so popular socially that Ashfield was asked for a repetition next summer. It will be remembered that from Northfield a carload of gifts of food, etc., for the sale was taken by Hazel Hammond, Louise Whitman, Grace and Ruth McGowan and Mrs. Webber.

The most distinguished guest at the Dalton meeting on Wednesday was Mrs. Harrie Chamberlain of Toledo, Ohio, National President of the Y. W. C. A. of the U. S. A. Mrs. Chamberlain spoke in high appreciation of the work carried on by Miss Parkhurst in our hill towns.

Two new members were added to the Board of Directors — Mrs. Sargent, chairman of the Girls' Department of the Community "Y" of West Springfield and Mrs. E. R. Fluke of Greenfield, who is well known throughout Western Massachusetts, because of her P. T. A. activities. Mrs. Fluke and Mrs. Webber motored together to the Dalton meeting and enjoyed perfect weather on the trip over the Mohawk and Berkshire Trails.

New Solandt Cottage Sold To Mr. Given

The new cottage erected by Mr. A. M. Solandt on Ashuelot Road and recently completed was sold last week to Mr. Sidney Given who purchases for a home. A large plot of ground is included with the cottage and the location is very desirable and convenient to the Seminary grounds.

Brotherhood Met

The first fall meeting of the Northfield Brotherhood was held at the North Church on last Tuesday evening with a good attendance. Prof. F. L. Daley the President presided. A beautiful supper was enjoyed by all.

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EDITORIAL

The local fire department is obviously a community affair. But it's every citizen's affair as well. The fire department is all that stands between him and the potential destruction of his home or place of business—worse than that the destruction of irreplaceable lives. The quality of that department is as personally important as the safety of his savings.

It would be a fine thing if every person looked on the local department in a sense of personal interest. He should, as best he can, investigate it, determine whether it is efficient or inefficient, whether its personnel is properly trained and directed, whether water and alarm facilities are of the best, and consider what aid he might render to its efficiency.

Former Senator James W. Wads. worth declares that one of the greatest obstacles to better times is the tremendous burden of taxation now being carried by the people of this country. He lays down a tax platform embodying the following four principles which are fundamental if the country is to return to a "sound and sane government."

1. Immediate reduction of 25 per cent in the operating cost of government; 2. the withdrawal of government from competition with private business; 3. the abolition of all activities by the government which are not essentially governmental, and 4. cessation of Federal aid to enterprises not strictly Federal in their nature.

The average citizen has seen government thrust itself deeper and deeper into his pocketbook at a time when national income has been declining. He has seen the creation of new bureaus and commissions when businesses and individuals have found it necessary to cut costs of all kinds. He has seen gigantic Federal subsidies for projects to benefit but a few of the people, but which must be paid for by all. He has seen the bureaucratic machine become increasingly unwieldy, inefficient and expensive.

Taxation is one of the vital problems of the time. It is intimately related to the future of industry, employment, investment of capital, property-owning, and home-building. Excessive taxation is a barrier to every activity of an individual or business. The mounting cost of government is, in effect, poisoning the well of progress.

The Cash Bonus

"We feel it is time someone said a word on this question of the demand for a cash bonus by the American Legion. There is such a thing as capitalizing military service to a point where it ceases to be a virtue and a claim to respect and becomes nothing short of a racket. The World War veterans have been receiving most favorable treatment ever since the World War with the free consent and assistance of everybody. Now that the nation's pocketbook is drained, and it becomes a question of taking bread out of the mouths of men, women and children who because they were too old or too young or too disabled to serve, were unable to earn the rewards of military service during the war, in order to pay a cash bonus, we wonder from the attitude of the Legionnaires who are demanding this bonus, just what was the use of their saving the rest of us in order to starve us. The Legion was formed with high ideals of civic usefulness. Its constitution recognizes fully the duty of the Legionnaire to be a good citizen also in peace times. For the last few years, however, it has been steadily falling from these ideals, and as a consequence steadily falling in public respect. It must be said that the great majority of the men who served in the World War went there under the draft and had no choice in the matter. War service in wartime is, after all, merely an incident of good citizenship. The nation has a perfect right to demand it. It demands other and not less exacting service of such non-combatants as mothers. There are also other duties necessary to good citizenship, and not the least of these is good sportsmanship and the willingness to play along with everybody else in a time of disaster." (From The Washington County Post, N. Y.)

Richardson-Allen

Leslie Ernest Allen and Ruby Louise Richardson were united in marriage Saturday evening, Sept. 17 by Rev. H. B. Buffum of South Vernon. They were unattended. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Spooner of Cheshire town, N. H., and is employed in the meat and grocery store in South Vernon. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Richardson of Deerfield Street, Greenfield. She has been employed in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Harold LaPlante for the last two years in South Vernon.

Poet's Corner

From The Garden
Of The Birthplace
Of Dwight L. Moody

From the garden of the Birthplace, as on the distant stream
The afterglow of sunset reflects
Its varied beam,
I am deep in contemplation of the
grandeur of the view
And my tho'ts on many channels
run,
As in musing oft, tho'ts do.

I wonder if the farmer boy
knowing streams are fed by
rills.
Realized the influence of these
everlasting hills
Whose forest-covered sloping
sides store up the gentle rain
That makes the rills go tumbling
down to feed the ocean main.
The gentle raindrop goes to
swell the stream that turns
the mill
And it gains its force and empties
from the sloping of the hill.
So the lives of men in channels
flow,
And some so deep and broad
The impetus that gives the urge
Must come alone from God.
So from the outlook comes the
uplift
And the influence travels on,
And in each life that touches
ours
Continues there our song.
Cecile King.

RED GERANIUM

They say you are a common
flower,
Your name the smallest children
know.
You are a messenger of cheer,
And warm the heart with your
red glow.

In springtime when we wend our
way,
To decorate the soldiers' graves,
You stand beside the waving flag,
And blooming there, respect the
brave.

When white frost coats the window
pane,
And winds are sharp with
Winter's sting,
Your crimson fragrance breathes
the warmth
And comfort of the fires within.

Pale lilies reverence inspire,
The rose is sweet, the orchid
rare.

But you, dear friendly little
flower,
Will thrive and blossom any-
where.

Doris Hildreth Wheeler.

Winchester, N. H.

Obituary

WALLACE E. SMITH

The body of Wallace Eaton Smith who died Friday morning in Brighton Mass. after an illness of six years, was brought here for burial in the family lot in Central Cemetery, last Monday, Rev. Charles C. Conner officiating at the grave. He was born in Cornish, N. H. Oct. 16, 1856, the oldest son of Lafayette and Ruth Smith. He leaves besides his widow, a sister, Mrs. Kate Boyce, one daughter and four grand-children.

Annie Johnson Flint Song Writer Passes

In the Editorial column of The Herald, we printed the following lines, as "Anon" not knowing the author.

God has not promised skies always
blue,
Flower-strewn pathways all our
lives through;

God has not promised sun without
rain,
Joy without sorrow, peace without
pain.

But God has promised strength for
the day,
way,
Grace for the trial, help from
Rest for the laborer, light on the
above.

Unfailing sympathy, undying love.
The lines found a sympathetic
response to many of Northfield
and one good friend kindly in-
formed the Editor that they were
from the pen of Annie Johnson
Flint an invalid at Clifton Springs
sanatorium.

Now The Herald has just re-
ceived the information that Annie
Johnson Flint has gone to her re-
ward having passed away Septem-
ber 8th at the age of 66 years.
Many of Northfield who have vis-
ited Clifton Springs had come to
know her and love her. She was a
writer of hymns and of poetry and
furnished considerable for the
Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

Although bed ridden and a suf-
ferer for forty years, Miss Flint
had a cheerful disposition and a
bright outlook upon life. Of her
life the Editor of the Clifton
Springs Press writes:

"The life of Annie Johnson Flint is a vindication of man, a triumph
of what we call the soul over de-
structive physical forces. In an age
when defeatism is accepted and so
many men and women lie down be-
fore the rush of circumstances, the
example set by Miss Flint comes
as an inspiration to carry on.
Because of her affliction, to many
she was little known, but to friends
who were intimately acquainted with
her every-day life, the sublime courage
of this stricken woman was a marvel.
Firmly anchored by a sublime
faith in eventual adjustments, Miss
Flint never lost heart through her
many years of bodily suffering. The
world is better for such a wonderful
character as Annie Johnson Flint."

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People's Forum

To The Editor:

We have heard so much lately of
the French King Bridge and of the
locality in which the bridge is lo-
cated. Will you be good enough to
tell us of the how and why of the
name.

O. A. C.
Editor's Note:—From a histor-
ical sketch written by Mr. J. A.
Taggart of Millers Falls the histor-
ian of the Dedication exercises
we quote the following:

"Whence came the name French
King and to what was the name
given? There are several legends
pertaining to the matter and like
many another matter of history we
are obliged to depend on legend
for the answer.

An immense boulder situated in
the middle of Connecticut river
about one-fourth mile above the
new French King bridge has been
known as "French King rock" since
before the memory of living men.
It was no doubt brought to its
present resting place by the
southward movement of a glacier
in the far distant ice-age. Its di-
mensions have never been ac-
curately determined but in early
days, before the dam at Turners
Falls raised the level of the river
waters, the rock stood over 16 feet
above the surface of the water and
was one of the most conspicuous
objects in the whole length of the
river.

According to the legend, during
the French and Indian war a party
of French and Indians came down
the Connecticut river on a scouting
expedition, their object being to
spy out the most desirable point
to launch an attack at a later
time. The party was under the
command of a French officer. They
reached the vicinity of the rock as
the shades of night appeared. Be-
ing of no mind to attempt the
passage of the rapids just below
the rock in the dark, they made
camp on the western bank opposite
it.

The rock being the most conspic-
uous object which had attracted
their notice, the officer wished to
mention it in his report and fix it
as something which might be re-
ferred to in the future, hence he
staged a ceremony by lighting an
altar fire on its top, sprinkled it
with the water of the river and
christened it French King in honor
of his sovereign."

To The Editor:

All summer long while spending
my days in Northfield I have seen
the high summit of Greylock in the
Western sky and have often won-
dered if its top could be visited
and how. Will you inform me.

Chester Allen.

Editors Note:—Yes, Greylock, can
be climbed and visited.
This fall Greylock, highest moun-
tain in Massachusetts, wears a new
feather in his cap. On the highest
point the Massachusetts War Mem-
orial Beacon has been under con-
struction for a year.

The motor road up this great
sleeping lion of a mountain has
been widened and improved to ac-
commodate increased traffic that is
expected after completion of the
beacon. No tourist should miss this
opportunity to do some real moun-
tain climbing by car. The views of
the Berkshires from the top—and
at several points on the way up—are
magnificent. This road is not
bad at all when you consider the
steep climb it has to make. And
there is no toll for the whole
mountain is a State park.

You'll find the entrance to the
mountain road on route 7 just
north of Lanesboro. Be sure to
take it, especially if the day is
clear. Near the top the view over
the country side is particularly
striking—a real bird's-eye view.

County Welfare

Costs Mount

Franklin county towns in the
first six months of 1932 spent
roughly \$140,000 for welfare re-
lief. This was more than double
the amount for the same period of
1931. On July 1 at least 3,000
persons or one out of every 15
residents, was on the charity rolls
and Hawley and Ashfield appeared
to be the only towns on that day
free from the burden. The num-
ber of dependents of the industrial
towns, was, of course, proportion-
ately greater than in the agricul-
tural ones.

	\$	100
Ashfield	—	1,049
Barnardston	42	3,975
Buckland	21	3,283
Charlemont	13	2,362
Colrain	21	1,184
Conway	5	5,793
Deerfield	115	2,159
Gill	32	48,780
Greenfield	1,202	40
Hawley	40	229
Health	5	280
Leyden	3	200
Monroe	1	31,000
Montague	722	1,498
New Salem	7	2,095
Northfield	7	25,091
Orange	493	156
Rowe	1	2,428
Shelburne	20	604
Shutesbury	11	2,108
Sunderland	12	2,632
Warwick	40	—
Wendell	40	—

Totals \$2,762 \$ 187,107
—None—
To July 1, 1931 Northfield spent
\$1,793 and for the whole year \$4,091.
Soldiers aid cost Northfield
\$416 for six months to July 1,
1932.

Valuations Shrink

Henry F. Long, commissioner of
corporation and taxation reported a
shrinkage of \$52,180,170 in tax-
able valuation in real estate and
tangible personal property in the
state in 1931 as compared with
1930. The total value found by lo-
cal assessors on those classes of
property for 1931 was \$7,181,858,958
as against a valuation in
1930 of \$7,233,539,128.

Kennedy "J. B." Candidate For Senate

In the political contests now be-
ing waged Mr. J. B. Kennedy of
Greenfield, well-known Democratic
leader, a former selectman of that
town for nine years and chairman
for five years, is seeking election
to the Democratic ticket for the
office of Senator from the Hamp-
shire-Franklin District.
For many years, Mr. Kennedy
has given much effort in the pro-
motion of the political affairs of



the Democratic party and also ci-
vic interests of Greenfield and
Franklin county. He is at present
a member of the Democratic state
committee.

Mr. Kennedy was born in Green-
field June 10, 1877, and has suc-
cessfully conducted his mercantile
business for over 27 years.

He was a charter member of the
Greenfield Kiwanis club chairman
of the Massachusetts State Elks
convention in Greenfield in 1923,
chairman of the Elk on Trail com-
mittee which erected the monu-
ment on Whitcomb's summit in
memory of the Elks who lost their
lives in the World War.

Chairman of the Tribune Fresh
Air Children's committee for three
years, finding homes for as many
as 150 children for two weeks in
Greenfield.

Trustee of the Greenfield-Mon-
tague Transportation area, vice-
president of the Franklin County
Agricultural society, member of
the Greenfield Democratic town
committee, director of the Cham-
ber of Commerce.

John B. Kennedy has been and
is a real public servant.

Many Towns Lack Political Delegates

Both the Republican and Demo-
cratic parties are going to have a
busy time to make selections to
fill existing vacancies in delega-
tions to their state conventions if
full representation is to be had
from all towns of the state.

Score of towns, among them
some of the largest, in the west-
ern part of the state have no can-
didates for this honor in either
party. Of course, a man desiring
to attend the convention as a de-
legate who did not bother to get the
few names needed for nomination
by paper, could be elected by get-
ting five votes; other wise, the
state committee must fill the vac-
ancies.

On the Republican side, Mount
Washington has a candidate for its
quota of two, W. A. H. and New
Ashford failed to offer a name
as it did on the Democratic side,
where it is entitled to 10. Even
Longmeadow, entitled to five
delegates, failed to put forth a
name for the Republican conven-
tion, and the same holds true of
Buckland, Lee, Lenox, Ware and
Wilbraham, each entitled to two
delegates.

Then there are all of these
towns, each entitled to one dele-
gate, wherein no Republican con-
vention delegate candidate ap-
pears: Ashfield, Becket, Belcher-
town, Bernardston, Blandford,
Chester, Conway, Cummington,
Erving, Florida, Granby, Granville,
Greenwich, Hatfield, Hawley,
Heath, Hinsdale, Holland, Lanes-
boro, Leverett, Leyden, Monroe,
Monterey, Montgomery, Otis, Pel-
ham, Peru, Prescott, Richmond,
Rowe, Sandisfield, Savoy, Shel-
field, Southampton, Tolland, War-
wick, Wendell, West Hampton,
Windsor, and Worthington. All
other Western Massachusetts towns
have delegates to meet their quo-
tas.

Of course, with 10 delegates to
each town, the Democratic ticket
presents more blanks than the Re-
publican ticket. West Springfield is
the only Western Massachusetts
town that has the necessary 10
candidates. Williamstown is next
best with nine, South Hadley and
Adams, five each; Palmer eight;
Hadley, three; Ludlow and Long-
meadow, two each, and West
Stockbridge, one. Even the big
towns of Agawam, Athol, Great
Barrington, Orange, Greenfield,
Dalton, Lee, Lenox, Shelburne,
Sheffield and Ware failed to pre-
sent candidates.

Following is a list of the west-
ern towns which have no Democra-
tic candidates for delegates what-
ever: Alford, Amherst, Ashfield,
Barre, Becket, Belchertown,
Brookfield, Buckland, Charlemont,
Cheshire, Chester, Chesterfield,
Clarkburg, Colrain, Conway, Cum-
mington, Deerfield, East Brook-
field, East Longmeadow, Egrem-
ont, Enfield, Erving, Florida,
Gill, Goshen, Granby, Granville,
Greenwich, Hampden, Hancock,
Hardwick, Hatfield, Hawley, Heath,
Hinsdale, Holland, Huntington,
Lanesboro, Leverett, Leyden, Mid-
dlefield, Monroe, Monson, Monta-
gue, Monterey, Montgomery,
Mount Washington, New Ashford,
New Marlboro, North Brookfield,
Northfield, Otis, Pelham, Per-
terham, Plainfield, Prescott, Rich-
mond, Rowe, Russell, Sandisfield,
Savoy, Sheffield, Shelburne,
Shutesbury, Southampton, South-
wick, Stockbridge, Sunderland,
Tollard, Tyringham, Wales, War-

The Preaching Mission To Begin Sunday Evening

Opportunity to ask questions
and to arrange private interviews
on personal religious problems, and
the distribution of thousands of
pieces of literature will feature the
Unitarian preaching mission, which
is to be held in Northfield next
week, beginning Sunday evening,
Sept. 25 at the Unitarian Church
in Northfield, under the Auspices
of the Unitarian Laymen's League,
and with the co-operation of the
church and its minister, the Rev.
Mary Andrews Conner. All meet-
ings will begin at 8 p. m., and will
be held each night except Satur-
day. Admission will be free.

The address of each evening
will be preceded by a period dur-
ing which questions placed that
night or the night before in a
"question box" installed in the
church will be answered by the
Rev. Dr. Horace Westwood of
Boston, mission preacher for the
League, who is to give the mis-
sion addresses. It is also announced
that Dr. Westwood will be glad to
make personal appointments with
those who wish to talk over with
him their religious problems and
experiences.

Dr. Westwood's first evening
address will be given Sunday night
and he will speak thereafter every
night except Saturday, giving his
final address Sunday evening, Oct.
2. Dr. Westwood's topic Sunday
evening will be "The Fundamental
Requirements of a Modern Re-
ligion." His subjects throughout
the week will be as follows: Mon-
day, Sept. 26, "Jesus the Jew";
Tuesday, Sept. 27, "The Battle
Over the Bible"; Wednesday, Sept.
28, "As Though There were a
God"; Thursday, Sept. 29, "I
Don't Want to be Saved"; Friday,
Sept. 30, "Immortality, Science
and Psychic Research." Sunday
morning, Oct. 2, Dr. Westwood
will preach on "The Subconscious
Mind in Our Daily Life," a sermon
on the new psychology. His topic
that evening will be "What's Com-
ing in Religion?"

County Highway Hearing Called

The annual hearing on county
highways, at which the selectmen
and officials of the various towns
in Franklin County including
Northfield will present their needs
to the state department of public
works, will be held at the court-
house on Sept. 23 at 2.30 in the
afternoon. Commissioner Frank E.
Lyman of Easthampton will con-
duct the hearing.

There were few requests from
county towns last year for state
aid in highway work and no large
projects were mentioned. It is gen-
erally believed no unusually ex-
pensive highway plans are contem-
plated by the state this year, al-
though continuation of some road
work already undertaken may be
requested.

Civil Service Exams

The state civil service depart-
ment has announced the following
examinations for the state ser-
vice:

House officers, state prison col-
ony, to be held October 22; salary,
\$1680 to \$2040 annually.

Watch officers, state prison col-
ony, October 29; salary, \$1200
and keep to \$2040 and keep for
captains, annually.

Industrial instructor in furniture
and cabinet-making, Massachusetts
reformatory, November 5; salary,
\$1680 to \$2160 annually.

Investig. 'or of barbers, state
civil service department, Novem-
ber 5; salary, \$1440 to \$1740; six
vacancies existent.

Medical social worker, depart-
ment of public health, November
12; salary, \$1200 to \$1800 a year
and maintenance; vacancy in
Pondville hospital and one at
Westfield state sanatorium.

Parole officer, department of cor-
rection, state farm, November 12;
salary, \$1860 to \$2460 a year.

Probate Court

Probate Court by adjournment
at Orange, September 13, 1932.
Administration Granted on es-
tates of — Arthur Parent late of
Erving to Charles H. Holmes of
Erving.

In the following cases, bonds
have been approved and letters of
appointment issued since the reg-
ular session of September 6th,
1932; Ella E. Mainguey late of
Gill, John F. Mainguey of Gill,
admr.

ren, Warwick, Washington, Wen-
dell, West Brookfield, Westham-
pton, Whately, Wilbraham, Wil-
liamsburg, Windsor and Worthing-
ton.

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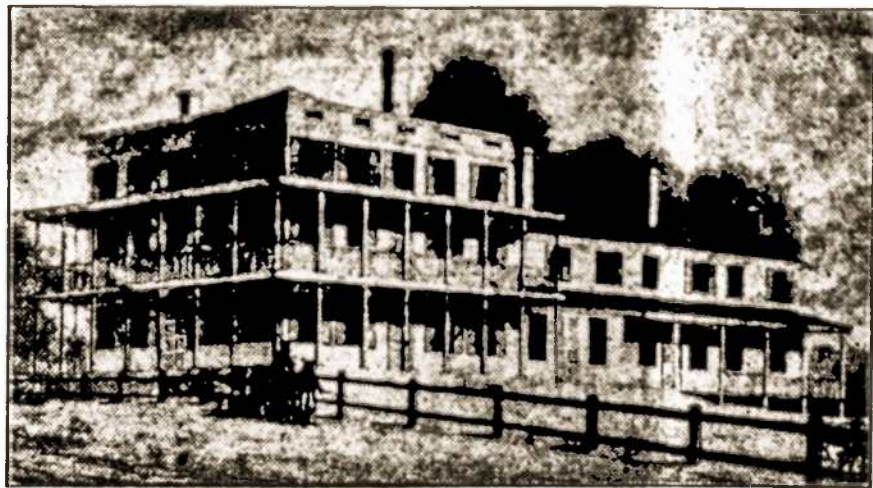
NORTHFIELD HOMESTEADS

(Continued From Page 1)

West Newton, Mass., to continue as Principal in the Allen School which many Northfield young people attended through the following years. Mr. Allen sold, in 1840, an acre of land on the southwest corner of his grounds to Dr. Philip Hall who built a residence the following year.

After Allen's departure the building was again converted into an inn and was run, for a short time, as a "Temperance Hotel" but soon went the way of all such absurdities in an age that appreciated good liquor.

Following this fiasco Jonathan Hunt Blake, nephew of Capt. Elisha Hunt, kept a tavern concerning which many a lurid tale is told by the older inhabitants, for the proprietor, known as Hunt Blake, was a man of original ideas, to say the least. It is said that on one Fourth



The Old Academy Building

of July, Blake, after an argument with some village cronies concerning the abilities of the selectmen, harnessed a pair of spirited horses to a sleigh, lighted a cigar with a ten dollar bill and started for Boston over the "Turnpike," remarking as he left the inn that "Like most of the town officials, any damn fool could go sleigh riding in the winter but it takes a man with judgment to pick a good road for a sleigh on the Fourth of July." During the Civil War Blake's Tavern was the home of many "War Widows" and for a time a little slice of "Broadway life" awakened from the shadows the memory of rollicking dinners of by-gone days. During these years the dance hall on the top floor was much in demand for theatricals and balls and in later times has been used by the Northfield Band and for lectures and other social events.

The spring of 1851 finds the tavern again a school, the building, having been renovated and repaired, was opened as the Northfield Institute.

The first annual catalogue gives the list of Trustees of the Institute fund as follows: Charles Osgood, Jonathan Minot, Phillip Hall, M. D., Elisha Alexander, and Elijah Stratton, M. D.; Samuel W. Dutton was the secretary and treasurer. The instructors were: Charles E. Bruce, A. B., Principal; Teacher of Ancient Languages, and of Mental and Moral Science; Miss Marianna P. Curtis, Teacher of Modern Languages, Music and Drawing; Miss Lucie E. Dutton, Teacher of the English Branches and Mathematics; Miss Martha Belcher, Assistant in the English Department, and Miss Julia A. Bruce, Assistant in the English Department. The Institute opened with 82 scholars enrolled; Males 32, Females 54, and while many or, perhaps I should say, most of the pupils were from Northfield there were some of the students that came from towns in distant states; a young lady by the name of Phila Moody coming from Columbus, Georgia. The school rooms occupied the whole of the second story and the catalogue goes on to inform the public that the grounds adjoining the building are "pleasantly laid out with walks, and adorned with a fountain, and flowering plants, interspersed with various shrubbery." The catalogue further states that, "board may be had in respectable families at from \$1.50 to \$2.00 per week, including fuel, lights and washing." Perhaps the former sentence will explain, in part, why the parents of the fifties went cheerfully along raising such enormous families.

The Northfield Institute was known then and through later years as the "Select School" and many now living received their education in the "Bee-Hive." There is among the papers received by the Historical Society an old folder with the frontispiece of a Magazine, called "The Iris" which was published by the students during the first years of the Institute's existence. The plates are very well done, colored by hand and executed with care. It is to be regretted that the contents of the magazine has been lost or destroyed.

Miss Mary E. Huse, Miss Mary Marshall and Sarah J. Russell were in turn principals of the school and at one time the late Justice Aiken of Greenfield labored with the youth of Northfield through the mazes of history, languages and higher mathematics.

In 1866 Amos Ross, who had rented the building for some time, became sole owner and it has remained in the possession of his descendants ever since. Mr. Ross, for many years, was associated with J. L. Dunklee in the manufacture of horse shoes, which at on time had a large sale in the vicinity. With Mr. Dunklee, Mr. Ross kept a tin shop in what is now East Northfield and, as an advertising attraction for the shop, Ross had a hog, that had achieved the generous weight of a thousand pounds, stuffed with cobs, displayed in the front window.



Prof. Phineas Allen

Ross also invented a corn planter (there is one still owned in town) that functioned excellently. Mr. Ross taught dancing for a number of years, playing the fiddle and directing his pupils at the same time. Later on he started a shoddy mill which was located on Pauchaug brook about a half of a mile north of Wanamker Pond, and also owned a store house which formerly stood across the tracks from the passenger station. Both the shop and store house having been burned, Mr. A. B. Ross, Mr. Ross' son, moved the business to Millers Falls.

With the closing of the Select School about 1877 the old building became a private residence and remained so until the death of Mrs. George Field, who was Mr. Ross' daughter, and since has been used as a tenement house.

Old tavern days, stage coach days are but history now. The old stage roads are followed by the ranging fox, wandering deer and hunters when the autumn leaves are falling. Back in the hills one can still find old cellar holes and, here and there, gnarled and aged apple trees that mark the site of homesteads which stood beside the stage roads of olden time. Now and then a clump of lilacs persist to mark a long forgotten home where, in by gone days, the children gathered by the roadside to see the Boston stage go by.

Solm Phelps

September 19, 1932

An Opportunity For Appointment To Naval Academy

Congressman Allen T. Treadway announces that there will be one vacancy at the United States Naval Academy in 1933 for the First Congressional District of Massachusetts. In order to assist him in selecting candidates for the entrance examinations to be given by the Navy Department next spring, Congressman Treadway has arranged with the U. S. Civil Service Commission to conduct preliminary tests in Pittsfield and Holyoke on Saturday, October 22, 1932. The test will be open to all young men who are bona fide residents of the First District and who will be not less than sixteen nor more than 20 years of age on April 1, 1933. Applications for permission to take the test should be in the hands of Congressman Treadway at Stockbridge not later than October 8th. Full information regarding the mental and physical qualifications will be furnished by the Congressman upon request.

Speer Addresses Nurses At County Hospital

On Tuesday evening Principal Elliott Speer of Mount Hermon delivered the graduating address at the graduation exercises in St. James Hall, Greenfield of the class of 12 nurses who receive their diplomas from the Franklin County Hospital. Dr. Frank A. Millett presented the diplomas.

F. Raymond Andrews, president of the board of trustees, presided and John C. Lee, secretary, administered the nurse's oath.

Members of the class are Myrtle Atherton, Grace Ellis and Lillian Weymouth of Greenfield; Lillian Provost and Edna Rogers of Turners Falls, Daisy Coburn and Marguerite Johnson of Colrain, Edwidge Brown and Mary Dascomb of Riverside, Janet St. Germaine of Montague City, Ruth Thompson of East Deerfield and Marion Thomas of Saxtons River, Vt. An equal number of student nurses will become members of the entering class on Sunday. They are Barbara Collins, Alice Patria and Elizabeth Welcome of Greenfield, Hazel Bourdeau and Anne Hocum of Shelburne Falls, Charlotte Bailey of Washington, D. C., Ernestine Goldwaite and Gertrude Malmquist of Leverett, Cora Hills-grove of Pike, N. H., Esther Lindsey of Athol, Esther Norrell of Amherst and Fay Peasley of Westfield.

Just "greasing" isn't enough. We must lubricate every moving part thoroughly and correctly. The Morgan Garage.—Adv.

Our Postmasters Attend Sessions

Postmasters Merritt C. Skilton of East Northfield and Charles F. Slate of Northfield attended the 32nd annual convention of the National association of Postmasters of the United States held at Springfield Mass. last week and also the meeting of the New England Postmasters Association. The Massachusetts Association merged with the New England Association and the annual meeting next year will be held at Northfield. Mr. W. James Williams of Great Barrington, was elected president of the New England Postmasters' association. Other officers of the association, follows: Vice-president, Thatcher T. Bowler of Newport, R. I.; secretary treasurer, H. E. Erwin of New Britain, Ct.; and recording secretary, Blanche E. Robinson of Wareham.

520 delegates were registered at the convention and addresses were made by Hon. Arch Coleman, First Asst. P. M. General, Hon. W. Irving Glover, Second Asst. P. M. General, and Hon. John W. Philip, Fourth Asst. P. M. General.

A Testimonial dinner was held in the Municipal Auditorium in honor of Hon. Walter F. Brown, Postmaster General, on Thursday evening.

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Chevrolet Sales

Continuing the upward trend evident since late in July, Chevrolet Motor Company, announced of more than ten per cent in the sale of new cars and trucks in the first ten days of September over the same period in August, H. J. Klingler, vice-president and general sales manager of the Chevrolet Motor company, announced today.

This marks the fourth consecutive ten-day reporting period to score a gain in Chevrolet business over the corresponding period of the previous month.

Actual reported sales were 8,529 new cars and trucks in the first ten days of September as against 7,688 in the same August period, and 6,541 in the first ten days of July. The September showing was regarded here as particularly favorable because it went above average expectations.

The encouraging upward climb of the sales curve has necessitated building and rushing several thousand more new cars into the field than the late summer projection called for to replenish dealer stocks, according to the Chevrolet executive stocks of new and used cars have been consistently lowered during the summer period and are now at an absolute minimum, he stated.

General improvement in sales was evident in the reports from nearly every one of the company's nine sales regions in the United States, Mr. Klingler declared.

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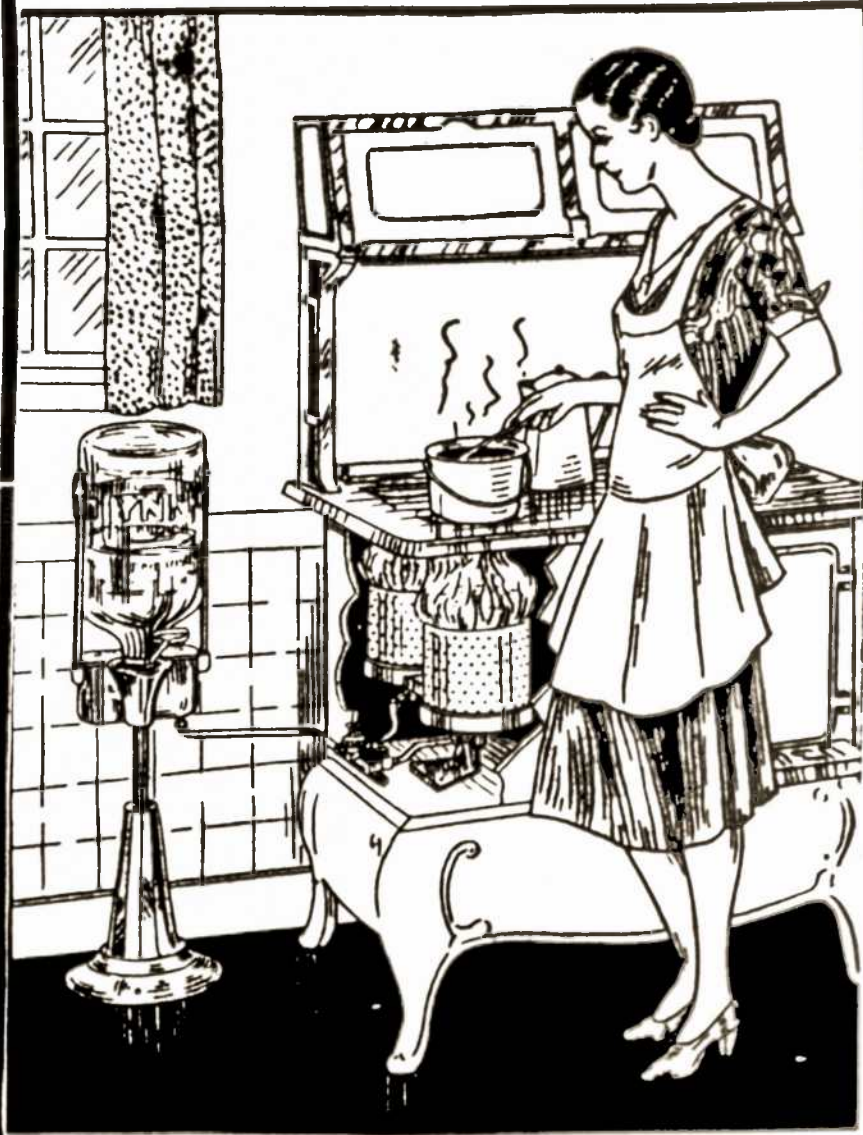
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Northfield Farms

Mr. Gilinas of Holyoke was a guest last week at John Kervian's.

Misses Rhetta Barrett and Alma Thomas of Medford were at their summer home over the week-end.

Charles Parker is carrying an arm in a sling now as the result of breaking his wrist while cranking his tractor.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society was held at their rooms at the library on Wednesday afternoon.

Sunday guests at Murray Hammond's were: M. Eugene Smith, Miss Sadie I. Smith, Miss Joyce Harriman of Northampton.

Home Alexander who has been a guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Alexander has returned to his home in New York.

Mary Podlenski, who graduated from Northfield high last June, is planning on attending a school of pharmacy at Albany, N. Y., this year.

Elizabeth Eastman, who has been at Keuka Lake, N. Y., the past two weeks expects to begin her studies at Keuka College this week.

Mary Donahue, Dorothy Leach and Lawrence Glazier are taking piano lessons of Miss Mabel Lincoln of Montague at Millers Falls each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Clapp and daughter, Phyllis of Worcester, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Morgan. Mrs. Clapp is the daughter of Fred Ruggles who boards at Mr. Morgan's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glazier, Clayton, Lawrence Glazier, took a motor trip to Middlebury, Vt., Sunday. Lyle went to resume his studies at Middlebury College, where he and his brother, Melvin are seniors this year. Melvin went back on Monday.

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Luey's last week were: Mrs. Chester Mann of Athol, Miss Marion Mann of the High School faculty, Mrs. Albert Raymond of Wellesley Mass., Mrs. W. Allen Luey, Tom Luey, John Crandall, Miss Terrill all of Port Washington, New York.

Winchester

Earl Swett is at the Keene hospital for observation.

Charles Croumie is ill at his home on Forest Lake Road.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Sprague of Waterbury, Conn., are spending some time at their cottage at Forest Lake.

Wesson Taylor of this town is proudly exhibiting the ribbons he won at the Live Wire Fair, Greenfield, on his rabbits.

Guy Martin has had an interesting exhibit of unusual vegetables in the window of Powers drug store. The oddities included snake cucumbers and Japanese radish.

William Atherton and family of Wakefield, Mass., and Raymond Atherton and family of Litchfield, Conn., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Atherton.

The Charles Jackson home on Richmond Road is nearing completion. Jackson first built a garage, which he used as a residence while the house was in process of building. He then put up a modern barn, and now has his house nearly finished. It will be occupied before cold weather sets in.

Figures are just out showing the school registration for this year. The enrollment thus far is 516, a little short of last year at this time. Enrollment is distributed as follows: high school, 139; junior high, 70; Center school, 180; Ashuelot school, 95; Scotland school, 20; Barber district, 12.

Warwick

Gray Temple is entertaining a classmate from Brown university.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brenack have been entertaining Mr. Brenack's mother of New York.

Carl Chapman is confined to his bed with serious hip trouble. He is attended by Dr. Coolidge of Athol.

The reception to teachers which was to have been given by the Grange, September 23, has been postponed till an October meeting.

Ralph Holbrook has returned to his work in the Federal forestry department, after a month's vacation spent with his family at F. A. Lincoln's.

Mrs. P. W. Goldsberry and Mrs. Edward Brenack attended the field day meeting at the State Federation of Women's clubs in Peterham last week.

Gray Temple and his brother-in-law, Mr. Farnum, are building a log cabin on the grounds of the Temple's summer home in the "Gulf."

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper of New York have been visiting at the Morris' home on the Winchester Road. They are world travellers and show their trips in moving pictures.

Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Barney of Lynn are making their annual visit in town and are staying at the Maples. Mr. Barney was formerly pastor of the church here.

Charles K. Ober and son, Carlton, of White Plains, N. Y., who have a summer home on Northfield mountain visited in town Sunday. Mr. Ober was formerly an international Y.M.C.A. secretary.

Warwick Grange will confer the 3rd and 4th degrees on a class of five at the next regular meeting, September 23. The ladies degree staff of Montague Grange will confer the 3rd degree. Supper will be served.

A home leaders training class will be conducted in Orange by the extension service, for leaders in this vicinity on Tuesday, September 23. The subject is children's coats and hats. Mrs. Charles Moore and Mrs. Lee Dresser are the home leaders in Warwick.

A new coating of tar is being applied to the Orange-Warwick road which will improve the surface and assure its up-keep. It was feared that the state would not provide money for this rather essential work this year but evidently, the necessity of this application was made apparent to the officials.

Although the weather doubtlessly kept many from attending the sale and supper Friday evening, the hall was filled for the entertainment. Miss Bessie Shephardson, George Shephardson and Ralph Witherell presented the skit "No Pedlars Allowed." Francis Burns of Worcester, a radio singer, sang three groups of songs, which delighted the audience. "Sweet hearts," a bachelor's dream, was given by about 20 young people. Mrs. John Peterson, in bridal attire, provided the real sweetheart. Margery Lincoln gave a reading and Marie Lind sang very beautifully, responding to an encore. Miss Abbie Cutting presided at the piano.

North Leverett

E. V. Howard filled his silo last week.

Leslie Wheeler is driving the school bus this year.

Herman Williams went on a business trip to Savoy a few days ago.

Mr. Clinton Fogg has moved into the Bowen place which he purchased a short time ago.

Miss Margaret Meade of West Townsend is teaching the North Leverett School. She is boarding with Mrs. John Ward.

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The Garden Club will meet with Mrs. W. H. Pierce October 6.

Perry Barber is visiting Mrs. Charles Freyenhagen of Greenfield.

Mrs. Alice S. Cushman is entertaining her friend, Mrs. Bartlett of Holyoke, for a few days.

Mr. Robert Hartie of Maynard, Mass., is visiting his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Dunnell.

Miss Florence Field went to Springfield Saturday where she will attend Bay Path Institute.

A son, Calvin Raymond, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Howard, Thursday, September 15.

Miss Caroline Clark of Bennington, has been spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Franklin.

Mr. C. K. Farnam and Mr. and Mrs. Farr of Brattleboro, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Milia Ather-ton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Voss visited Mrs. Voss parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Nelson, the last of the week.

Miss Effie Hardy who has been spending a week with Mrs. Bryant returned to her home in Haverhill Sunday.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Welch were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Herrick and son of Marlboro, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fogg from White River Junction, Vt. are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grover.

Mrs. Nellie R. Hale has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Sutherland of Springfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. William Boyle spent Sunday in Reading, Mass., with their daughter, Mrs. Dana Barber, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Eastman and son Winton of Littleton, N. H. are spending the week with Mrs. Raymond Dunnell.

Miss Dorothy Lawrence of Brattleboro, spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Matosky of West Road.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thurber and Mr. and Mrs. L. Grover spent Sunday in Halifax, Vt., attending Old Home Day.

The Sunday guests of Roger Bardwell were William Skipper and Melvin Robinson of West Dover and Stratton, Vt.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bryant were G. H. Andrews Mrs. J. A. Wood, Mr. Arthur Whittier, Mr. John Whittier, and Mrs. Hattie Dame.

The hot dog roast given by the Seniors, which was scheduled for last Friday evening, was postponed until Monday evening when a good crowd attended.

Miss L. R. Hale who has been spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Nellie R. Hale, will leave Saturday for Short Hills, N. J., where she will resume her teaching duties.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dunnell were Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Gates of Littleton, New Hampshire. Mrs. Gates was a former teacher at the Green School, then Miss Addie Quinby.

Mr. Stanley Phelps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Phelps of town and Elsie Waite, daughter of Mr. Ernest Waite of Greenfield were quietly married Saturday, September 17. Mr. and Mrs. Phelps will make their home in the Myron Barber tenement on South Street.

The Mission Study Class recently met with Miss Orrie Barrett. The following officers were chosen: President, Miss Orrie Barrett; First Vice-President, Mrs. L. D. Slate; Second Vice-President, Mrs. H. P. George; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Eben Taylor; Assistant Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Percy Buchanan. Directors, Mrs. A. L. Truesdell, Mrs. Clarissa Erving and Mrs. Sarah Field.

Participating in the Class B events at the track meet at the Greenfield Fair were fourteen boys representing Powers Institute. With a total of fourteen and one-half points, Powers Institute achieved its highest score in many years. Roger Bardwell, the outstanding member of the group, won first prize in the potato race; second prize in the broad jump; fourth prize in the high jump, with Edwin Pratt winning third prize in the three-legged race.

Alice B. Cushman left Friday for Pittsburgh, Penn., where she will study in the Library School of Carnegie Institute of Technology. Miss Cushman has been awarded the Caroline M. Hewins scholarship for special study of library work with children.

Since graduation from Powers Institute, Miss Cushman was graduated from the Westfield Athenaeum and has studied at Simmons College and Columbia University.

Previous to her work in Hartford where she was in charge of children's work in the branch libraries, she served as school librarian in the Newton Free Library.

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Hinsdale

Percy C. Stewart, Jr., has returned to Baldwinville, Mass., where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Robertson are having an addition built to their home on High Street.

Mrs. Jennie White of Ludlow, Vt., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lute A. White.

Mrs. Philip Sauer of New Haven Conn., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Splaine.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reed of Claremont, N. H., were recent guests of Mrs. Kate B. Smith.

Mrs. Lucius Parker and daughter Evelyn of Concord, N. H., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Howe.

Irwin Bergeron of Brockton, Mass., was a guest three days recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Young.

Harry L. Norcross, who has been working at Ridgelyville, Me., for some time past is here with his parents at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hurlbert of Claremont, N. H., recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence R. Hildreth.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fisher and family of East Orange, N. J., have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Fisher.

Mrs. Leroy McQuigan and daughter Helen, have returned from West Virginia where they had been for several weeks.

A daughter was born on Sept. 15, at the Mutual Aid Maternity Home in Brattleboro, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roy of this town.

The Cotton Blossom Singers from Piney Woods Country Life School in Piney Woods, Miss., will entertain at the First Congregational Church Sept. 29.

Mrs. C. R. Hildreth, Mrs. Rose F. Holland, Mrs. C. D. Fay, and Miss Eva M. Fortier, attended the Red Cross regional conference held at Manchester, N. H. last week.

The sons of Union Veterans' auxiliary will conduct a social and card party in G. A. R. hall Monday evening, Sept. 26 at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served and prizes awarded.

John M. Lamb, local undertaker and Arthur L. Rhode of Brattleboro and Winchester, attended a recent meeting of the Tri-State Funeral Directors' association of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, held in Concord, N. H.

The body of Mrs. John LeBeau, 63, of West Swaney, was brought here last week for interment in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Funeral services were held in West Swaney with mass by Rev. Father Meany, who also officiated at the committal service at the grave.

Miss Allene Burns of Syracuse, N. Y., niece of Mrs. Neil E. I. Latham of this town, and her friend, Fred Marty, also of Syracuse, returned to that city Sunday after having been guests of Mrs. Latham and family for the past two weeks.

There was a good attendance at the social and card party held in G. A. R. hall Monday evening under the auspices of Wapahoka council, Daughters of Pocahontas. The next social and card party under the same management will be held on the evening of October 3 in the same hall.

Attorney Edalbert J. Temple, who has occupied the room in the Keyway block for many years as his office is moving from there and will conduct his affairs from his residence on River Street.

The hunting season on wild fowl, including ducks and geese does not open this year until Oct. 16, according to an announcement from the fish and game department. The season closes Dec. 15. In previous years the season on wild duck opened Sept. 16.

The open season on woodcock begins Oct. 1 and ends Oct. 31. This is in accordance with the federal law relative to migratory birds. The woodcock bag limit in one day is four.

The season on partridge opens Oct. 1 and continues until Dec. 1. The season's limit is 25 and the limit for one day is five.

Mrs. Elizabeth Saben Robertson, 72, wife of Orrin C. Robertson, retired paper manufacturer, died in her home on Canal Street Tuesday.

Born in Hinsdale July 28, 1860, she was one of three children of Thomas and Sarah Ripley Saben.

On Oct. 17, 1883 she was united in marriage to Orrin C. Robertson of this town.

Two children were born to the couple who are now Violette, wife of Ralph Wood, and Marian, wife of Louis N. Stearns, all of Hinsdale.

Besides the husband and daughters, Mrs. Robertson is survived by a sister, Gertrude, wife of Frank E. Field of this town, and one brother, Walter Saben of Greenfield, Mass., also three granddaughters.

Funeral services were held at the home Thursday afternoon, with Rev. Frank C. Wright of Barnet, Vt., a former pastor of the local First Congregational church officiating.

Interment took place in the family lot in Pine Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Edith Sylvan Weatherhead Hudson, 49, wife of Albert C. Hudson, died Tuesday September 13th in her High Street home following a prolonged illness with a spinal trouble.

Born in Guilford, Vt., Jan. 16, 1883, she was one of two children of Henry A. and the late Sylvan Orcutt Weatherhead.

On Feb. 23, 1898, she was married to Albert C. Hudson of this town. She had been a resident of this town for the past 14 years. Previous to that, she resided in Guilford, Vt., and Chesterfield, N. H.

Mrs. Hudson was a member of the local Wantastiquet Grange. Eight children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Hudson, and her survivors include her husband, and six of the children, as follows: Hazel, wife of Marvin H. Barrett of Hinsdale; Herman, proprietor of the local Economy Grocery store, also of Westmoreland, N. H.; Ardell, wife of Wilder Haskell of Putney Vt.; Marshall and Dorr Hudson, also of this town; her father, Henry A. Weatherhead of Fredonia, N. Y., and her sister, Mrs. N. W. Drury of Guilford, Vt.

Funeral services were held Friday with Rev. Frank C. Wright of Barnet, Vt., a former pastor of the local First Congregational Church officiating. Interment will be in the family lot in Pine Grove cemetery.

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Gill

Mr. and Mrs. Allard of Jacksonville, Vt., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. W. Sumner.

William A. Tibbetts, of Gill, will be a student at Mount Hermon School this year. He is the son of Wm. R. Tibbetts, of Montague city.

Stop signs have been erected at the north and south approaches to the new highway at Riverside on the Gill Road near the Perry house corner, and the Capt. Turner monument.

Beginning with Sept. 25, Rev. Dorr A. Hudson of Greenfield, will hold a preaching service at the Congregational Church 10:45 a. m. and this arrangement is to continue for an indefinite time.

Miss Virginia F. Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown of Riverside, Gill, and Paul J. Cadran son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cadran of Turners Falls, were married Friday evening at the Baptist parsonage, Greenfield, by the pastor, Rev. W. J. McCullough, who used the single ring service. The couple was attended by the bride's brother and a friend, Mr. and Mrs. Cadran left for Indiana, where they will make their home.

The North school is feeling much elated that the scale work project of the seventh and eighth grades in constructing a miniature of their building received a first premium at the Greenfield fair. Arrangements have been made to exhibit it at the Eastern States Exposition. The pupils who made the model are Milton Wilde, Henrietta Zywna, William Tibbetts, Florence Jackson, Catherine Jurgilewicz, Helen Field, David Stevens and Roger Kioskole.

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Gov. Ely Will Unveil Indian

Gov. Joseph B. Ely, who honored the county with his presence at the dedication of the French King Bridge, will again appear in this section, when the eight-foot bronze statue erected by New England Red Men and Pocahontases is unveiled at Mohawk park, Charle-mont, Oct. 1. The governor will also be the principal speaker of the day.

The unveiling ceremonies will open at 2 p. m. The figure will be situated just across the three-arch bridge over the Deerfield river on a portion of the acre of land recently given for memorial purposes to the Improved Order of Red Men by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Kennedy, owners of Mohawk park. The Indian will be mounted on a nine-ton boulder found near the memorial site.

Courage For Tobacco Growers

It will be of interest to tobacco growers to know that the crop of tobacco in North Carolina is short and that higher prices are prevailing.

It is said that the crop is only 60 per cent of normal and that at the recent sale at Goldsboro every pile of tobacco was sold on the opening day and lower grades brought better prices. Tobacco growers of the Connecticut Valley may feel encouraged.

Banks Out Of Trouble

Official information at Washington shows that there are very few bank failures and that those institutions that were solvent and were compelled to close their doors early in the year are reopening for the purpose of continuing their business, or liquidating their affairs. Thousands of banks have been saved by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. The Corporation merely lends to banks and takes over some of their collateral securities, thus relieving the banks from shortages of ready money, due to the depression. The Government gives nothing to the banks, as many people seem to suppose.

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President Hoover issued a proclamation setting aside Tuesday October 11, as Pulaski Memorial day. The President called upon the American people, in the course of the 200th anniversary celebration of George Washington's birth, to pay honor to Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski, the Polish cavalry officer who served under Washington and died of wounds received in the Revolutionary war.

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George Bancroft in "LADY AND GENT"

Also on Same Program

Sally Blane and John Darrow in

"FORBIDDEN COMPANY"

THURSDAY — THROUGH SATURDAY

Sept. 29-30-Oct 1

— ON THE SCREEN —

JOAN BLONDELL in "BIG CITY BLUES"

— ON THE STAGE —

5 — BIG TIME ACTS OF R K O VAUDEVILLE

Two "Wise Eggs" who were too wise — that in brief is the story of George Bancroft's latest starring picture "Lady and Gent," at The Lawler Theatre.

Petite Wynne Gibson, latest Hollywood "find," who is soaring to stardom in her own right, plays opposite the virile Mr. Bancroft, and Charles Starrett, James Gleason, John Wayne and Joyce Compton have other leading roles.

Bancroft and Miss Gibson are cast as a couple of self-styled "big timers" who dwell on the shady side of Broadway, battling merrily with each other and with any one else who crosses their path.

The uneven tenor of their lives becomes even more uneven when Bancroft's best friend suddenly dies, leaving a 12-year-old son alone in the world. Just what their responsibilities to the lad are they sit down to consider.

And they reach a conclusion that produces results as whimsical as they are radical.

"Lady and Gent" was written especially for Bancroft by Grover Jones and William Slavens McNutt. Stephen Roberts directed.

Morgan Wallace, James Crane, William Halligan, Billy Butts, Frank McGlynn, Sr., Charles Grapewin and Frederick Wallace appear in minor roles.

Sally Blane and John Darrow head the large cast of popular players in the new invincible picture "Forbidden Company" at The Lawler.

This production will mark the second appearance of this couple together, for they were featured recently in "Probation," a Chesterfield production. Richard Thorpe directed these young stars in both pictures.

John St. Polis, a former Broadway stage star, one of Hollywood's best-known character actors, and Myrtle Stedman, another screen veteran, are featured in the supporting cast. Among the others are Josephine Dunn, Dorothy Cristy, and little David Durand.

"Forbidden Company" is an original screen story by Edward T. Lowe, author also of "Escapade," the initial production of Maury M. Cohen's new Invincible Pictures Corporation, which was released recently. Much of the story is laid against the background of a receiving hospital, where Jerry Grant, scion of a prominent society family, first meets Janet Blake, an artist's model, who has been injured by his speeding motor.

Grant's horror at what he believes to be his son's infatuation with the girl is further aggravated by the information that she had borrowed a considerable sum of money from the profligate and director of Grant's advertising agency. There are the further complications of little Billy, who might be Janet's son, and Louelle, whom the elder Grant had picked for his son's wife.

The problem, though not new to fiction, provides unusual dramatic possibilities.

Some idea of the magnitude of "Big City Blues," the Warner Bros. production, now starring Joan Blondell at The Lawler Theatre, may be gained from the fact that its cast includes no less than seven of the studio's featured contract players, and seven more headliners borrowed from other studios.

Joan Blondell heads the cast, while Evalyn Knapp also has an important role. Three new actresses, recently taken to Hollywood from New York success, make their first screen appearances at this time, although they are also working separately in other productions. They are Gloria Shea, Betty Gillette and Sheila Terry—names to bear in mind. They may be among the stars of the future. Guy Kibbee and Lyle Talbot complete the list of contract artists.

Playing opposite Miss Blondell in the sensational drama of life on Broadway is youthful Eric Linden, whose work in "The Crowd Roars" and "Are These Our Children?" will live long in the memories of theatre-goers. Josephine Dunn and Inez outney are among their party-playmates, and such personages as that famous comedienne, Jobyna Howland, Walter Catlett, Grant Mitchell and Humphrey Bogart complete the featured cast list that still has many others almost equally well known in smaller supporting roles.

Mervyn LeRoy, noted for "Little Caesar," "Five Star Final" and "Two Seconds," directed. The story was by Ward Morehouse.

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Holmes plays the role of the teammate, with David Landau as the detective. Brown is the victim; Ruggles, a wise-cracking reporter at the game to "cover" it via radio.

SATURDAY — THROUGH TUESDAY

Sept. 24-25-26-27

Maurice Chevalier in "LOVE ME TONIGHT"

WEDNESDAY — THROUGH FRIDAY

Sept. 28-29-30

George Arliss in

"A SUCCESSFUL CALAMITY"

Maurice Chevalier latest Starring Picture "Love Me To-Night" opens at The Garden on Saturday, Sept. 24. Like previous pictures starring Chevalier, "Love Me To-night" is done in a humorous and whimsical vein, and is set to music. Most of the musical number, all written by Richard Rodgers and Lorenz Hart, noted song-writing combination, are sung by the French star and Miss MacDonald, but other members of the cast join in at one time or another.

Chevalier is cast as "the best little tailor in all France"—a business man with a big heart and few funds. When Ruggles, a viscount, orders 16 suits from him, and then fails to pay for them, he suddenly changes his tactics, and sets out for the castle in which Ruggles lives with his uncle, and, incidentally, his cousin, Miss MacDonald, to collect.

Ruggles passes him off as a baron, to get him to remain inside the sacred portals until he can raise enough money to pay him off. Chevalier and Miss MacDonald are soon in love, but their romance seems futile when the difference in their social positions is revealed.

A new George Arliss picture is always an event of importance to the motion picture public and "A Successful Calamity," his latest Warner Bros. triumph promises to excel all of its excellent predecessors in popularity. The story deals with an American family of great wealth; a great financier, his young and lovely wife and his two grown children; all of whom find themselves so busy with the pleasures and duties imposed upon them by their money and position that no time is left for the enjoyment of real family life.

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"A Successful Calamity" is adapted from a highly successful stage play of some seasons back, written by Clare Kummer, John Adolfi, who directed George Arliss in "The Millionaire," "Alexander Hamilton" and "The Man Who Played God," is credited with the direction of this new Arliss picture.

Although the entire program is dominated by the character portrayed by Arliss, the supporting cast is even more noteworthy than previous ones seen in Arliss pictures.

Mary Astor, one of the loveliest and most capable of the screen's leading women, plays the part of the young and susceptible wife of the financier. Evalyn Knapp, who played with Arliss in "The Millionaire," is seen again as his daughter in this picture. William Janney, promising youthful screen and stage actor, is the son. Grant Mitchell, himself the featured player in many lesser productions, has the important role of the Wilton butler. David Torrence, Hardie Albright, Hale Hamilton, Fortunio Bonanova, Randolph Scott and Murray Kinnell are featured players.



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Joan Blondell and Stuart Erwin head the featured cast with ZaSu Pitts and Ben Turpin.

As the clerk in the country store who is reviled for his highfalutin ideas about acting, Erwin is seen in a characterization that lifts him to the greatest heights of cinematography he has ever attained. Audiences are bound to live with him the hardships, the disappointments and the final thrills which he experiences when he goes to Hollywood, with his hard-earned savings—and makes the grade there in a way that he had never dreamed of in his wildest flights of fancy.

Joan Blondell is the hard-boiled "double" for a famous star who sympathizes with Erwin and gets him his first chance to act before the Hollywood cameras. Helen Jerome Eddy is his small-town girl friend whose eternal faith in his abilities spurs him on to make sacrifices that would otherwise have died a-borning.

Ben Turpin furnishes gales of laughter as the successful comedian who looks very suspiciously like Ben Turpin himself. This is the first time he has played the role of Ben Turpin imitating Ben Turpin. And he out-does himself!

ZaSu Pitts furnishes additional humor, with a typical "dead pan" impersonation.

Others in the cast of this splendid comedy-romance-drama are Charles Sellon, veteran character actor; Florence Roberts, Ruth Donnelly, Frank Mills, Polly Walters, Arthur Hoyt and Dink Templeton.

The adaptation was written by Sam Mintz and Walter De Leon. William Beaudine, who has made innumerable picture "clickers," directed.

ON THE SAME PROGRAM — Metrone News, Laurel and Hardy in "THE MUSIC BOX," "CONQUEST OF THE CASCADES, scenic reel; and Betty Boop Cartoon, "MINNIE THE MOOCHER" with Cab Calloway's Orchestra



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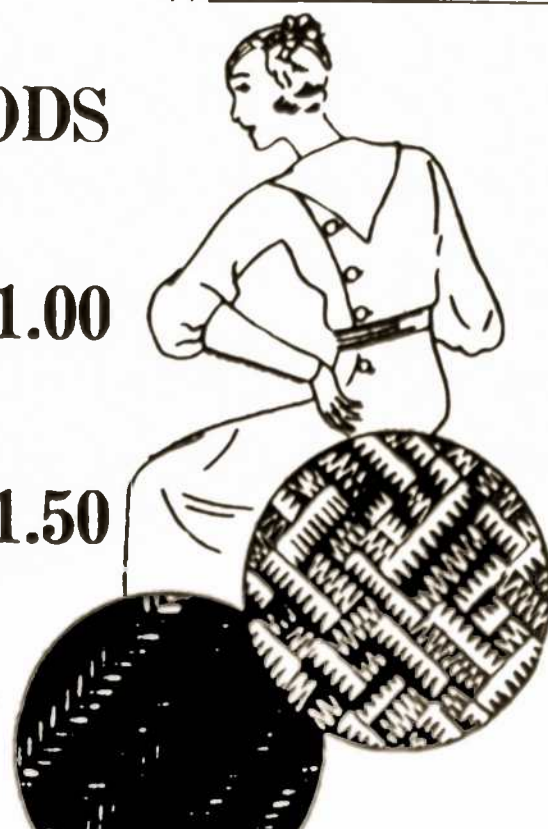
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Personals

Prof. and Mrs. H. H. Morse have returned after spending the summer in England.

Mrs. Annie Ohayon is the guest of Miss Cecile King at "La Chaudiere" cottage on Rustic Ridge.

Rev. Mary Andrews Connor preached at the Union church in Vernon last Sunday.

Mr. Merritt C. Skilton of East Northfield has been elected a Director of the Greenfield Co-operative Bank.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Charles Stoddard Lane of Hartford, Conn. were visitors last week at Mr. and Mrs. Coburn's in Mountain Park.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Woodruff and family are closing their summer home and returning this week to their home in Newark, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh D. Maydole have closed their summer cottage "Placebo" in Mountain Park and returned to their home at Concord N. H.

Prof. and Mrs. Frank L. Duley have returned from their sabbatical vacation. They were gone six months, during which time they made several motor trips.

Alton and Robert Watson sons of Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Watson of Jamaica N. Y. left Northfield last Tuesday to re-enter Duke University.

Mr. Frank B. Nichols of the American Bank and Trust Co. of New Haven Conn. was a visitor in Northfield Tuesday calling upon Mr. Hoehn, President of the local Bank.

Webster Johnson, son of Mrs. W. D. Johnson, has entered Bay Path Institute in Springfield, Mass. Mr. Johnson completed the first year of the two-year normal commercial course at the Bay Path branch school in Brattleboro last year, and he is now enrolled as a senior at the main school in Springfield.

Mrs. Rena Tyler and daughter, Edith of Bristol, Conn., and another daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Reed of New York were Sunday guests of Rev. and Mrs. George E. Tyler also of Mr. Ralph Tyler's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meissner.

Mr. Ralph Tyler returned to his home in Bristol, Conn., with them Sunday.

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Sept. 25 — Oct. 2

Announcement Of Evangelistic Services At North Church

Announcement is made that the North Church will arrange a series of special meetings early in November in its church and Rev. W. Stanley Carne is now corresponding with Dr. Milton S. Rees of Rochester, N. Y., an outstanding evangelist to conduct the same. It is said of Dr. Rees that he was born in central New York, was converted at 14, and at once united with the church and became active in it. In due time he entered the ministry, and as pastor had such large accessions that it soon became evident his life should be given wholly to evangelism. Surpassing the efforts of the attractions of a settled home, he has since gone forth winning multitudes to the Christian life. He has traveled widely in America, and has also made three foreign tours, twice visiting the Holy Land. His wide contacts have given him an unusual understanding of men, and his messages appeal to both mind and heart. With pure English, with apt and abundant illustration, but without any approach to the sensational, he preaches the truth home with great power. He has been associated with many leading pastors and influential churches in this country. In his own city he has conducted nine campaigns, in Greater Boston seventeen in as many years, and often works with the same pastor in many campaigns. His notable success is made possible because people are open to the Gospel message presented sincerely, convincingly and with earnestness.

Personals - Locals

Rev. Mary Andrews Connor will preach in the Vernon Union Church next Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Miles Morgan visited the Hopkinton Fair in Contooscook, N. H., Thursday.

The next opportunity offered for the registration of voters will be on Wednesday, September 28th at the Town Hall, 7 to 9 p.m.

Quite a number of Northfield citizens visited the Springfield Fair during the week.

The Village Improvement Society will hold a meeting next Monday evening at Library Hall at 7:45 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Miss Priscilla Colton has entered the Brattleboro Business College for a Commercial Course.

The Franklin County Business and Professional Women's Club, at its first meeting Monday evening in the Weldon hotel, heard two of its members in interesting talks. Mrs. Arthur D. Potter spoke on the Olympics and her western trip this summer and Rev. Margaret B. Barnard gave details of the Republican convention which she attended as an alternate. Several of the members from Northfield attended.



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Sunday, Sept. 25—"The Fundamental Requirements of a Modern Religion."
Monday, Sept. 26—"Jesus the Jew."
Tuesday, Sept. 27—"The Battle Over the Bible."
Wednesday, Sept. 28—"As Though There Were a God."
Thursday, Sept. 29—"I Don't Want to be Saved."
Friday, Sept. 30—"Immortality, Science and Psychic Research."
Sunday, Oct. 2—"What's Coming in Religion?"

SUNDAY MORNING
SERVICE

10.45 O'Clock
Sunday, Oct. 2—"The Subconscious Mind in Our Life." (A sermon on the New Psychology.)

BEGINNING
SUNDAY NIGHT

Women's Club Publicity Committees To Confer

A conference will be held at the Congregational church and parish house of South Deerfield Thursday, Sept. 29. This will be the press and publicity conference of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Club. Mrs. Acubon Gleason, Jr., who is a former resident of Springfield, now of Milton will preside. Many prominent speakers have been secured to address the conference on subjects of general interest to members of women's clubs. There will also be discussions of problems pertaining to publicity. Every member of a federated woman's club has been invited.

Mrs. Edwin C. Fairbanks of South Deerfield, a member of the state division of press and publicity, is in charge of luncheon arrangements. Besides Mrs. Acubon Gleason other speakers are Mrs. Frank P. Bennett, president of the Mass. State Federation, Mrs. Ernestine Perry, Mrs. A. D. Potter and others.

Fewer Automobiles Are Registered In State

It is reported from the Registry of Motor Vehicles in Boston that there are about 35,000 less automobiles registered in Massachusetts this year up to the end of August than were registered last year. Registrations dropped 75,000 but the discrepancy in figures was explained by the fact that more persons continued to run their old automobiles without a transfer from old to new cars.

Gospel Services At District 3

It is announced that hereafter Gospel Services at District No. 3 school house will be held each Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock with Sunday School at the usual hour 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. These services will be in charge of Mr. Russell Roberts who extends an invitation to all friends in the neighborhood to attend.

Northfield School Notes HIGH SCHOOL

Hope and Virginia Hoelzer registered this week making a total of 105 pupils. Because of the large enrollment it is necessary to use Miss Austin's room as a home room.

At a meeting of the Senior Class the following officers were elected: President, Victor Vaughan; Vice-President, Christine Gray; Treasurer, Laura Martineau; Secretary, Jean Giebel.

Plans are being made to resume the orchestra class.

A second hand electric sewing machine in excellent condition, and a new mirror have been added to the equipment of the sewing department.

Elizabeth Eastman, N. H. S. '31, is at Keuka College, Keuka, New York.

Miss Webster has been testing voices during the two music periods in which she has been at the High School.

South Church Notes

Sunday is Rally Day for the Church School. This service at 10:45 A. M. will be conducted by the members of the church school, and will take the place of the morning preaching service.

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock will begin the Preaching Mission to be conducted by Dr. Horace Westwood of Boston, who will speak each evening next week in the church, except Saturday. Dr. Westwood's subject for Sunday evening will be "The Fundamental Requirements of a Modern Religion."

There will be a question box, in which persons may drop questions, which Dr. Westwood will answer Monday evening.

There will be special music conducted by the musical director Mr. Hough of Greenfield.

North Church Notes

Next Sunday there will be special music by the choir, under the direction of Professor Lawrence at the morning service, the sermon will be on the subject "Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today, and forever." This will not be a plea for Christianity, but an effort to allow Christianity to speak for itself.

Every Sunday evening hymn singing is enjoyed by a large audience, special music by the Endeavor Choir, also the Male Quartet, with a message for the moment.

Increasing number attend the Thursday evening Prayer Meetings in the vestry of the Church at seven-thirty.

Brass Tacks

"A lot of people think that prohibition repeal would help the farmers, but the farmer isn't one of them."

Anybody who has seen a board in a rain-storm knows that a plank may be wet on one side and dry on the other.

—Boston Evening Transcript. Poland limits its saloons to 20,000 and recently closed 1,115 to come within the limit. MARR. ISSUE.

"Five gallons of gas and a quart of gin. And all they found was a mess of tin." The Labor Leader — Canada.

Fire At County Jail Badly Damages Building

It was a bad fire last Sunday evening which badly damaged the County Jail at Greenfield, and to which the fire departments of both Greenfield and Turners Falls responded. The amount of the loss is not determined but is fully covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is not known. The prisoners were transferred to Northampton temporarily and none endeavored to escape. The situation is being taken in hand by the authorities and plans are being made to rebuild and put the property in shape for its use.

Items Of Interest

The University of Vermont and State Agricultural College opened this week for the college year 1932-33.

The plunge of the Lehigh Packing company, of Emmaus, Pa. dealers in rabbits, into financial difficulty not more than two weeks ago, has left several hundred New England dealers with rabbits, equipment and a wiped out potential market.

The Vermont potato crop is forecast at 2,400,000 bushels in this week's issue of the Vermont market news, published by the department of agriculture. This compares with 2,550,000 bushels harvested last year. For New England the crop is expected to total 49,980,000 bushels, about 8,880,000 bushels less than last year.

Rev. Dudley H. Ferrell, 53, pastor of the Second Church (Unitarian) Boston, and a former grand master of the grand lodge of Masons of Massachusetts, died at his home in Swampscott last Thursday after a week's illness. Mr. Ferrell was born in Cincinnati, O., and ordained to the ministry 30 years ago.

Henry F. Long, state commissioner of corporation and taxation, reports the estimated consumption of gasoline in motor vehicles for the month of August totaled 59,630,000 gallons. The tax at 3 cents a gallon, will net the commonwealth \$1,788,000. In August, 1931, the total consumption was 60,060,582 gallons which netted the commonwealth \$1,801,817.

In the number of accredited cattle Vermont stands third in the United States, being led only by the large cattle states of New York and Wisconsin, each of which has approximately 10 times the number of Vermont's cattle, numerically. In New England there are, according to the July summary of the United States of animal industry 200,000 accredited cattle in Vermont.

Shrunk values in the holdings of the large Thomas Thompson estate in Boston, of which Richard M. Bradley of Brattleboro and Boston is one of the trustees, have made it necessary to cut \$20,000 from the amount annually allowed for the Brattleboro Memorial hospital, the Brattleboro Mutual Aid association and the child welfare work in Brattleboro, maintained in part by the income from the Thompson trust fund.

George Washington, a direct descendant of George Washington's grandfather, will receive the Entered Apprentice Degree in Fredericksburg Lodge No. 4, A. F. & A. M., November 4, 1932. In this lodge and on the same day in November, 180 years ago, the Father of His Country joined the Masonic Fraternity. The Bible, published in 1688, on which the first President took his Masonic obligation, will be used in the initiation of the present George Washington.

Personals - Locals

The sons of Veterans will hold their annual meeting for the election of officers in Grange Hall on Friday evening, September 30th. A full attendance is requested.

Mrs. Ward Boylston of Brattleboro, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Moore of our town is at Brattleboro Memorial Hospital. She was operated upon for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dunbar of Jamaica N. Y. are occupying the summer home of Mrs. Maude N. Voris in Mountain Park for a two weeks vacation period. Mr. Dunbar is connected with the Y.M.C.A. of Garden City.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Eason of Saugerties motored up to Northfield the early part of this week for a stay at Rustic Ridge. Miss Lucy Jackson, who is a sister of Mrs. Eason closed her cottage for the season and returned home with them.

The Friendly class met at the home of Mrs. Cortland Finch on Monday evening for a social hour which took the form of a birthday party, each member bringing as many pennies as the years of her age. The sum of \$8.47 was realized for the work of the class. Twenty-five members were present. Rev. W. W. Coe gave an address on "Friendliness."

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South Vernon

Frank Wilson of Putney, is a guest of his friend, Miss Julia Ennis.

Miss Joyce Pinney, has returned to Brattleboro High school for her Senior year.

Mrs. Florence I. Haskins and husband of Athol were callers of Mrs. Marietta C. Carpenter, Tuesday.

Rev. B. D. Tibbets of Loudon Ridge, N. H., arrived Monday as a guest of Miss Dorothy L. Gray this week.

Mrs. Marietta C. Carpenter is on a visit to Fisher's Island, N. Y., with her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Clark.

Miss Florence Griswold, student nurse at the Brattleboro Memorial hospital was a week end guest of her friend, Miss Julia Ennis.

Warren G. Brown after returning from Mount Hermon, last Thursday to spend the week end with his mother, Mrs. M. H. Brown, returned to Middlebury College, Monday. He made the trip by auto with his friends, Rev. and Mrs. Ernest E. Edmunds, and

Mrs. Mary Johnson of Amherst, Mass., who was accompanying her youngest daughter, Miss Esther Johnson, to the same college.

Mr. Braley, who has been visiting his sons in New Jersey this summer returned to the Vernon Home last week. His friends were glad to greet him.

Last Sunday, the pastor, Rev. George A. Gray's morning sermon was from the text, "Unfaithfulness or the menace of this Modern Age." His evening sermon was, "The Wonderful Grace of God."

Rev. George E. Tyler, whom reports say, has been quite ill, with heart trouble, is improving slowly. Ralph Tyler of Bristol, Conn., was a week end guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. George E. Tyler.

The following students who are attending school out of town are Miss Laura Martineau and Victor Vaughan of South Vernon who are seniors at Northfield high school, also Miss Abbie French of West Northfield, Lester Heath and Gaylord Gray of South Vernon have entered Northfield High this fall.

On account of Daylight Saving Time changing back to Standard Time, please notice the change in time for the Sunday School hour next Sunday. Next Sunday ser-

Personals - Locals

Miss Fuora Callaghan is at the Farren Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Carrie Britten of Main st., spent last week in Springfield.

Dean Williams entertained friends from Claremont, N. H., Sunday.

Asher Mello is erecting a house on Plain street on land recently purchased of Mrs. Rose Murdock. It is rumored that the Lindale Mills at Farley may start up soon, after a shut down of three years.

The Boy Scouts of Northfield enjoyed a stay at the Greenfield Fair. They camped during their sojourn.

Dr. John T. Dallas, Episcopal bishop of New Hampshire, spent the week end at the Northfield Hotel.

A party of eleven friends of Mrs. Josephine Webster called upon her last Monday evening, to help celebrate her birthday.

The supreme judicial court for the counties of Franklin and Hampshire was convened at Northampton, Wednesday September 23rd to hear three cases from Hampshire County.